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Record of Decision Available for the Stormwater Outfall A-013 Operable Unit at the Savannah River Site

The Record of Decision (ROD) Remedial Alternative Selection for the Stormwater Outfall A-013 Operable Unit (OU) is being issued by the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), the lead agency for the Savannah River Site (SRS), with concurrence by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency – Region 4 (EPA), and South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (SCDHEC). The ROD was completed to meet the terms of the Federal Facility Agreement (FFA) for the SRS, which governs the investigation and cleanup of operable units. The FFA integrates the requirements of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act and the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act.

The Stormwater Outfall A-013 OU is located within A Area, which is part of the larger A/M Area in the northwest portion of SRS. The Stormwater Outfall A-013 OU is a shallow open ditch, approximately 40-feet long, that drains a small area along a section of abandoned railroad track on the southern end of A Area. The outfall and drainage ditch are normally dry; the only flow through the drainage is stormwater during rain events.

DOE, EPA, and SCDHEC have reviewed the risks associated with the Stormwater Outfall A-013 OU and concur that the OU poses no unacceptable risk to human health or the environment and warrants unrestricted land use. Therefore, No Action is the selected remedy for the Stormwater Outfall A-013 OU.

Copies of the ROD are available in the Administrative Record. The Administrative Record is available in the information repositories listed below:

- DOE Public Reading Room at the Gregg-Graniteville Library at the University of South Carolina (USC)-Aiken campus in Aiken, SC; and
- Thomas Cooper Library Government Information and Maps Department at USC in Columbia, SC.

Hard copies of the ROD are available at the following locations:

- Reese Library Government Information Section at Augusta University in Augusta, GA; and
- Asa H. Gordon Library at Savannah State University in Savannah, GA.

An electronic copy of the ROD is posted at the following address:

<https://www.srs.gov/general/programs/soil/rod/rod.html>

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